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Week ended November 5, 1904.

Buildings reinspected	271
Rooms	1,753
Persons inspected	2,547
Sick	9
Sick prescribed for at Oriental Dispensary	16
Dead examined	9
Necropsies	4
Rats examined bacteriologically	85
Number showing pest infection	0
Places limed and disinfected	889
Blocks covered with Danysz virus	16
Times streets swept	3
Sewers flushed	19
Notices sent to abate plumbing nuisance	9
Abated	6
Undergoing abatement	7
Total number of plumbing inspections	145

Diphtheria at Lubec, Me.—Spread of the disease arrested.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Small, at Eastport, Me., reports, November 3, as follows:

The spread of diphtheria at Lubec, Me., is at present arrested. There have been about 20 cases of mild type. No new houses quarantined for nearly a week. I trust the epidemic is over.

Transactions on account of yellow fever at Laredo, Tex.

Reports from San Antonio—Sanitary conditions—Work of the sanitary department during October, 1904—Mortality.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Purnell reports, November 3, as follows:

The health of the city and vicinity is very good, and there seems to be no special disease prevailing. The temperature dropped considerably several days ago, but the cool weather was only temporary, as the summer warmth has returned.

Work of the sanitary department during October, 1904.

Premises inspected	7,626
Premises cleaned	139
Privies disinfected	128
Houses fumigated	12
Rooms fumigated	117
Cellars fumigated	1
Cisterns fumigated	7
Wells fumigated	5

Mortality, month of October, 1904—Causes of death.

Senility	3	Enteric fever	4
Peritonitis	3	Diphtheria	6
Asphyxia	1	Bronchitis	3
Premature birth	7	Burns	1
Cerebral hemorrhage	2	Meningitis	4
Abscess liver	1	Cirrhosis liver	1
Gunshot wound	1	Malarial fever	1
Nephritis	3	Enterocolitis	2
Trismus neonatorum	3	Nervous prostration	1
Mitral insufficiency	3	Hemorrhage	1
Dropsy	1	Croup	1
Tuberculosis	25	Enteritis	1
Malnutrition	2	Asthma	1
Malignant tumor	1	Intestinal trouble	1
Inanition	5	Syncope	1
Uterine cancer	1	Gastric ulcer	1
Heart failure	2	Uremia	1
Cholera infantum	2	Paralysis	1
Scrofulosis	1	Strychnia poisoning	1
Drowning	1	Inflammation bowels	1
Traumatic tetanus	1	Heart paralysis	1
Diabetes mellitus	1	Ulcus ventriculi	1
Ulcerative colitis	1	Pneumonia	1
Enteritis	2	Chronic cystitis	1
Senile gangrene	1	Cerebral anemia	1
Poisoning	1		
Marasmus	1	Total	115

INSPECTION SERVICE, MEXICAN BORDER.

Inspection at Nogales, Ariz.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Gustetter reports as follows:

Week ended October 29, 1904: Passengers inspected, 148; immigrants inspected, 45; immigrants deported, 13.

Inspection at Eagle Pass, Tex.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Hume reports as follows:

	Week ended Oct. 29.
Persons inspected	214
Persons held	0
Pullman cars fumigated	8

Bags Pullman linen disinfected, 37.

Inspected on footbridge, 3,424 persons. Returned by State quarantine officer—by train, 3; by bridge, 11.

Inspection at El Paso, Tex.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Alexander reports as follows:

Week ended October 29, 1904: Inspection Mexican Central passengers, 208; inspection Mexican Central immigrants, 66; inspection Mexican immigrants, International Bridge, 223; inspection Syrians, 2; disinfection soiled linen imported for laundry work, 419 pieces; detention of 2 passengers for 2 days being only 3 days out from Tampico; vaccination of children of immigrants, 6.